## SIERRA NATIONAL FOREST Forest Order No. 05-15-00-21-08 Fire Restrictions

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), and to provide for public safety and protect natural resources, the following acts are prohibited within the Sierra National Forest. This Order is effective from June 24, 2021, through November 15, 2021.

- 1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or stove fire, except within the Designated Wilderness Areas listed in Exhibit A and the Designated Recreation Sites listed in Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(a).
- 2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, or within the Designated Wilderness Areas listed in Exhibit A and the Designated Recreation Sites listed in Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(d).
- 3. Welding, or operating acetylene or other torch with open flame. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(i).
- 4. Operating an internal combustion engine, except on a National Forest System road or trail. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(h).

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

- 1. Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- 2. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically exempting them from this Order. Persons with a valid California Campfire Permit are not exempt from the prohibitions listed above. However, persons with a valid California Campfire Permit may use a portable lantern or stove using contained gas, or pressurized liquid fuel with a fuel shut off valve.
- 3. Persons with a Special Use Permit from the Forest Service for a recreation residence on the Sierra National Forest may use a campfire or stove fire at their recreation residence.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 C.F.R. Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in Clovis, California on June 23, 2021.

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## SIERRA NATIONAL FOREST Forest Order 05-15-00-21-08 Exhibit A – Designated Wilderness Areas

## **BASS LAKE RANGER DISTRICT**

Ansel Adams Wilderness

HIGH SIERRA RANGER DISTRICT
John Muir Wilderness
Kaiser Wilderness
Dinkey Lakes Wilderness
Monarch Wilderness
Ansel Adams Wilderness

## SIERRA NATIONAL FOREST Forest Order 05-15-00-21-08 Exhibit B – Designated Recreation Sites

BASS LAKE RANGER DISTRICT				
Chilkoot Campground	Greys Mountain Campground	Pine Point Picnic Site		
Clover Meadow	Indian Flat Picnic Site	Recreation Point Group		
Campground		Campground		
Denver Church Picnic Site	Lakeside Picnic Site	Rocky Point Picnic Site		
Dirt Flat Campground	Little Denver Picnic Site	Spring Cove Campground		
Dry Gulch Campground	Lone Sequoia OHV Staging	Summerdale Campground		
	Area			
The Falls Picnic Site	Lupine Cedar Bluff Campground	Wishon Point Campground		
Forks Campground	Pine Slope Picnic Site	Westfall Picnic Site		

<u>HIGH SIERRA RANGER DISTRICT</u>				
Billy Creek Lower	Gravel Flat Camping Area	Rancheria Campground –		
Campground		Granite Group Site		
Billy Creek Picnic Site	Haslett Basin Traditional Use	Rancheria Campground –		
	Area	Jeffrey Pine Group Site		
Bolsillo Campground	Kirch Flat Campground	Rancheria Campground –		
	(Excluding 12S15C Loop)	White Pine Group Site		
Bretz Mill Campground	Kirch Flat Group Campground	Sample Meadow		
		Campground		
Buck Meadow	Lily Pad Campground	Sawmill Flat Campground		
Campground				
College Campground	Marmot Rock Campground	Trails End Picnic Area		
Deer Creek Campground	Midge Creek Group	Trapper Springs Campground		
	Campground			
Dinkey Creek Campground	Mono Creek Campground	Upper Kings Group		
		Campground		
Dorabelle Campground	Mono Hot Springs Campground	Vermillion Campground		
Dorabelle Picnic Site	Portal Forebay Campground	Ward Lake Campground		
Dowville Day Use	Rancheria Campground – Loops	West Kaiser Campground		
-	B, C, D & E			
		Wishon Village Campground		